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TAGS: SCUL, CH
SUBJECT: CHINESE ARCHEOLOGICAL EXHIBITION

REF: A. PEKING 668; B. STATE 58306

1. ANDERSON AND PASCOE CALLED ON HSIAO TEH APRIL 11 TO TIE UP
LOOSE ENDS ON AGREEMENT TO EXTEND CHINESE ARCHEOLOGICAL EXHIBITION
FOR SAN FRANCISCO SHOWING. TEXT OF LETTERS NOW SET AND AT
CHINESE REQUEST EXCHANGE OF DOCUMENTS WILL TAKE PLACE TUESDAY
MORNING APRIL 15 FOLLOWING HO YING'S RETURN TO PEKING.
AS AGREED, THERE WILL BE NO FORMAL SIGNING CEREMONY. FINAL DETAILS
WILL BE ARRANGED AND TEXTS OFFICIALLY COMPARED APRIL 14
AT 1030.

2. CHINESE HAD NO ADDITIONAL COMMENT ON THE SAN FRANCISCO
PRESS CONFERENCE BUT HSIAO DID ASK FOR--AND RECEIVED-- CONFIRMATION
OF INFORMATION WE HAD PROVIDED EARLIER BY LETTER THAT SAN FRANCISCO
MUSEUM HAS TOLD US IT INTENDS TO INVITE ONLY THE LOCAL PRESS.
HSIAO ALSO ASKED THAT WE CHANGE PARA 2 OF THE DRAFT STATE
DEPARTMENT PRESS RELEASE (REF B) TO MAKE IT CONFORM TO THE LANGUAGE
OF THE FINAL PARAGRAPH OF THE HO YING LETTER (REF A) WHICH STATES THA
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THE PRC AGREED TO THE EXTENSION "AT THE REQUEST OF THE UNITED STATES
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GOVERNMENT". WE DO NOT THINK HSIAO INTENDED THAT WE USE PRECISE

LANGUAGE OF HO YING LETTER, BUT RATHER SIMPLY MAKE CLEAR U.S.
HAD REQUESTED EXHIBIT AND PRC HAD AGREED.

3. COMMENT: ASSUING DEPARTMENT IS WILLING TO GIVE CHINESE THIS
ADDITIONAL "FACE" IN THE PRESS RELEASE, EXCHANGE OF LETTERS
SHOULD FINALLY TAKE PLACE ON TUESDAY APRIL 15. WE SUGGEST
DEPARTMENT AND SAN FRANCISCO PLAN ANNOUNCEMENT FOR THAT DAY.
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